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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

HIRAI, et al.

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For: *PICKED-UP SOUND REPRODUCING
METHOD AND APPARATUS*

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Examiner: C. P. TRAN

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AMENDMENT

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 16, 2005, the due date for response to which is May 16, 2006, by virtue of the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time, in connection with the above-identified application, please enter and consider the following amendment and remarks.

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